THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE V.ESWARAIAH

WRIT PETITION No:14805 of 2007

DATED:13-07-2007

BETWEEN:

V.Prasad Rao.

..... PETITIONER

AND

The Secretary,
Andhra Pradesh State Welfare
Residential Educational Institution Society,
Hyderabad.

.....RESPONDENT

ORDER:

Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned Government Pleader for Social Welfare appearing for the respondent.

2. Petitioner seeks a writ of mandamus declaring the action of the respondent in not considering the representation submitted by the petitioner, dated 03-06-2007 which was received on 05-06-2007, as illegal, and arbitrary.

3. It is the case of the petitioner that his father entered into an agreement vide bond No.97/98, dated 13-12-1997, for construction of additional laboratories–cum-class rooms and additional dining hall to the Social Welfare Residential School Complex for Girls at Mannanur in Mahaboobnagar District and in that connection the District Collector accorded administration of Rs.17.73 lakhs. It is stated that after completion of the work some additional work was also entrusted worth Rs.5,00,000/-, and after completion of the additional work amounts were not paid and in the meanwhile petitioner's father died in 2003. It is stated that on a representation of the petitioner, proposals were already sent for administrative sanction for the work executed by the father but no action has been taken. It is further stated that petitioner made a written representation, dated 03-06-2007, requesting the respondent to obtain administrative sanction for the works completed by his late

father and to forthwith release the outstanding dues payable to his father to his legal heirs, but the same has not been considered and disposed of so far. Hence, the present Writ Petition.

4. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I deem it just and proper to direct the 1st respondent to consider and dispose of the representation of the petitioner, dated 03-06-2007, said to have been sent by registered post if it is received and pending in accordance with law within eight weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

5. Accordingly, the Writ Petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

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V.ESWARAIAH,J

13th July, 2007.
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